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Sir:

In response to the office action dated 7/3/06, please amend the subject patent application as follows.